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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to a non-final office action mailed July 3, 2008 for the above-identified patent application. Claims begin on page 2 of this response, the interview summary, priority claim and preliminary remarks are on page 5, followed by patentability arguments which begin on page 6.

The paper is accompanied by the request for one month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the requisite fee for this filing from Howrey LLP Deposit Account No. 08-3038. No other fee is believed to be due, however, should any additional fees be deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this document, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Howrey LLP Deposit Account No. 08-3038.